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The information disclosure statement (IDS) submitted on 1/20/04 has been considered and a copy of the initialed PTO-1449 is attached with this paper. Furthermore, an English language machine translation of JP 8-151597 was submitted by Applicant on 7/12/04 as part of the "Remarks"; the Examiner has requested that this document be rescanned into the file as under its own separate heading.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Gregory R. Del Cotto whose telephone number is (571) 272-1312. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon. thru Fri. from 8:30 AM to 6:00 PM.

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